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| TOTAL CLAIMS | | MINUS | | = | X \$18 | \$ |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | | MINUS | | = 3 | X \$84 | \$ |
| [] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM | | | | | + \$280 | \$ |
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